# MINUTES OF THE FEBRUARY 10, 2016 ANIMAL SERVICES SPECIAL MAGISTRATE HEARING

The following are the minutes of the Special Magistrate Hearing held on February 10, 2016 as taken by Jamie Davis

Present at the hearing:

## **SPECIAL MAGISTRATE**

Charles D. Johnson

#### ANIMAL CONTROL STAFF:

Sharon Beardsley, Animal Control Officer Amber Teeter, Animal Control Officer Shasta Wilson, Animal Control Officer Danielle Conger, Animal Control Officer

## STAFF ATTORNEY:

Erin Hartigan, Assistant County Attorney

Charles D. Johnson called the meeting of the Special Magistrate to order at 9:00 a.m.

Erin Hartigan announced the changes to the agenda. Items 3 and 5 had paid their fines.

Staff was sworn in by Charles Johnson.

## ITEM 1 Joshua Coles, SM-AS-1287-15

Respondent was not present.

Erin Hartigan stated this case is charging the owner with repeat violation of Section 4-27 "Nuisance Animals" and Section 4-28 "Attack or Bite to Persons and/or Animals". Staff recommended the Special Magistrate find the Respondent in violation of these sections and impose a fine of \$1,500.00.

File was entered into evidence.

Officer Amber Teeter testified to the facts of the case.

Special Magistrate Charles D. Johnson accepted staff's recommendation.

#### ITEM 2

# Ray Orona, SM-AS-1286-15

Respondent was not present.

Erin Hartigan stated this case is charging the owner with violation of Section 4-27 "Nuisance Animals". Staff recommended the Special Magistrate find the Respondent in violation of this section and impose a fine of \$150.00.

File was entered into evidence.

Officer Danielle Conger testified to the facts of the case.

Special Magistrate Charles D. Johnson accepted staff's recommendation.

## ITEM 4

#### Tina Batten, SM-AS-1245-15

Respondent was present and sworn.

Erin Hartigan stated this case is charging the owner with violation of Section 4-27 "Nuisance Animals". Staff recommended the Special Magistrate find the Respondent in violation of this section and impose a fine of \$150.00.

File was entered into evidence.

Officer Sharon Beardsley testified to the facts of the case.

The complainant, Joseph Sonner, was present, sworn and offered testimony.

The Respondent, Tina Batten, testified to the facts of the case.

Special Magistrate Charles D. Johnson accepted staff's recommendation and granted 180 days to pay the fine.

#### ITEM 6

### Amy Bustos, SM-AS-1233-16

Respondent was not present.

Erin Hartigan stated this case is charging the owner with repeat violation of Section 4-27 "Nuisance Animals". Staff recommended the Special Magistrate find the Respondent in violation of these sections and impose a fine of \$500.00.

File was entered into evidence.

Officer Shasta Wilson testified to the facts of the case.

Special Magistrate Charles D. Johnson accepted staff's recommendation.

#### ITEM 7

## Kristin Randolph, SM-AS-1234-16

Respondent was not present.

Erin Hartigan stated this case is charging the owner with repeat violation of Section 4-27 "Nuisance Animals". Staff recommended the Special Magistrate find the Respondent in violation of this section and impose a fine of \$500.00.

File was entered into evidence.

Officer Shasta Wilson testified to the facts of the case.

Special Magistrate Charles D. Johnson accepted staff's recommendation.

As there was no further business, meeting was adjourned at 9:37 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jamie Davis

Recording Secretary

Receipt of the minutes as prepared of the February 10th, 2016 hearing is acknowledged this

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Charles D Johnson Special Magistrate